NATIVES OF NORTH STATE

Gathering by Thousands in City of Greensboro.

A SPLENDID PROGRAMME

Men Who Wero Born in North Carolina Are to Assemble on Their Native Heath to Renew the Associations of Their Youth.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) GREENSBORO, N. C., October 10 .-The reunion of North Carolinians residing in other States, to be held in Greensboro October 12th and 13th, will be the most interesting event in our State during the year. In January last the city of Greensboro decided to have a reunion of nonresident sons and daughters of North Carolina, and asked the State to join in the invitation. While Greensboro is the local hostess and will entertain most reyally all who will come within her gates, yet the celebration and the invitation are not local-are not Greensboro's They belong to the whole State, and the whole State will join Greensbore in making the occasion one of the most honorable in our history. The Governor's mes-sage to the General Assembly, and the joint resolutions adopted by that body set forth fully and eloquently the objects of

joint resolutions adopted by that box, forth fully and eloquently the objects of the reunion.

The press of the country, voicing the strutment of the people of the whole Commonwealth, welcomed the suggestion of a reunion of native North Carolinians residing in other States, and have cooperated with the local committees in bringing the matter to the attention of North Carolinians everywhere.

CORDIAL RESPONSE.

The response from those scattered abroad shows that they are coming in large numbers, if not an "hundred thousand strong," and coming with the fillal love of all North Carolinians for their mother State. Some of them have grown rich in their new homes; they are leaders in law, in commerce, manufacturing and agriculture; they have married in the home of their adoption; they are closely identified with the communities and States which they have helped to build; but there is not one of the 336,037 of the native born North Carolinians who will not e in Greensbore on the 12th and 12th of October, in person or in spirit.

SOCIETIES FORMED.

In addition to these letters expressing the fraternal phase, the more practical one of organization has been developed by the formation of North Carolina societies in New York, Baltimore, Norfolk, Richmond, Philadelphia, Atlanta, Macon, New Orleans, Chicago, Scattle, and several other cities, and delegates have been selected to represent them in the reunion.

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Everything that could be done has been
done by the Board of Managers of the
Reunion Association, the various committees and private individuals to make
the proper preparation for reunion visitors. All arrangements are now complete, the association forces and the city
awaiting with pride the oncoming thousands of beloved ones at home and
abroad. Thorough appreciation is felt
and expressed here on all sides at the
cordial co-operation of so many people
and of the press of the State, to make
the reunion a success, and they will always remember kindly those who have
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The stores, public and private buildings will present a beautiful appearance with bunting. North Carolina State flags and national colors entwined. The various college societies and county headquarters will be handsomely decorated and indicated by great electric signs on South Elm Street, near the courthouse, and when lighted will spell out the words, "The Old North State Forever," the other sign will be placed across the same street and will spell the word, "Welcome." Committees are meeting every day and night making final arrangements and getting things in the proper shape for this great occasion.

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Bosides the central reunion headquarters the following counties have provided special headquarters for visitors from those counties: Randolph, Cumberland, Orange, Chatham and Wake.

The Masons, Pythlans, St. Andrew's Brotherhood men, Physicians and other orders and societies have also arranged especial headquarters.

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The visiting newspaper men will be well taken care of. A meeting of the reunion Press Committee was held yester-

union Fress Committee was nearly season day aftermoon for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements.

Headquarters for the editors will be in the lobby, and the two front offices of the building of the Security Life and Analysis Company.

nuity Company.

A sign will be prepared bearing the words, "Headquarters, Visiting Editors."

Waiting tables, stationery, draining water, etc., cigars and whatever else the

water, etc., cigars and whatever else the committee can think of as useful to the visiting representatives of the press will be provided in abundance.

The Press Committee will also see to it that all other countries in the way of transportation and the like are extended to the newspaper men who will gather here from all quarters of the State and country.

country.

There will be a splendid galaxy of editors and newspaper men here. Besides editors and staff correspondents from all the daily papers of the State, the big dailes of New York, Baltimore, Riston State and St mond, Philadelphia, Atlanta, Boston, Wsahington and New Orleans have given Washington and New Orleans have given notice that they would have correspondents here for special work. Harper' Weekly, the great New York Illustrated weekly, has arranged to send a special writer and staff artist to prepare matter and illustrations of the occasion, especially of the battle ground ceremonies. The following programme of exercises just completed gives the story of the formal celebration of North Carolina's first great State Reunion:
PROGRAMME.
Sunday, October 11th, 11 A. M.—First Presbyterian Church, Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., presider: Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va.
West Market M. E. Chrich, Rev. C.

Mest Market M. E. Church, Rev. C. West Market M. E. Church, Rev. C. W. Byrd, D. D., Atlanta, Ga. 8 P. M.—Grand Opera House, reunion termon, Rev. A. C. Dixon, D. D., Bosseron, Rev. A. C. Dixon, Rev. A. C. Dixon, D. D., Bosseron, Rev. A. C. Dixon, Rev. A. C. Di

Monday, October 12th, Grand Opera House, 2 P. M.—Invocation. Introduction of Hon. Matthew Whitaker Ransom as presiding officer, by Presi-dent Charles D. McIver, chairman of the

Board of Managers.

Address of welcome on behalf of the
State, by Governor Charles B. Aycock.

Address of welcome on behalf of the
eity of Greensboro, by Colonel James T.

Morehead.

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Responses (seven minutes each):
From the North Carolina Society of
New York, Hon. Frank E. Shoher.
From the North Carolina Society of
Philadelphia, W. F. Futrell, Esq.

NEW IDEA PATTERN, 10c.

JULIUS SYCLE & SONS

Try Our Credit System. You Can Buy What You Want at CASH PRICES and Pay in Small Payments, Weekly or Monthly.

Special Sale Carpets, Rugs and Druggets. New Tailored-Made Suits, Skirts and Cloaks.

Ladies' Tallor-Made Suits of black cleviot, made with long blouse coats, elaborately trimmed with fancy slik braid, with capes over shoulders, 7-gore flared skirt, at \$32.

Ladies' Tallor-Made Suits of Zibeline, in navy blue and gray, with long blouse ceats elaborately trimmed with allk bands, ornaments and braid, deep cape collar and seven-gored trimmed flare skirt, at \$30.

Ladies' Cheviot Tallor-Made Suits, made close fitting, long coat, slik lined and seven-gored flare skirt, at \$28.

Ladies' Challor-Made Cloth Suits in navy and black with short blouse coat, trimmed with bands of taffeta and seven-gored skirt, trimmed to match coat, at \$10.

Ladies' Close-Fitting Box-Pleated

Coats, of tan, broadcloth, lined through-out with satin, with Panne velvet belt and slik ends, three-quarter lengths, at only \$15.

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Ladies' Tan and Black Cloth Coats, made in latest style loose-fitting, large sleeves, at \$8.

Ladies' Long Dress Skirts of cloth, nine gores, each gore bound with satin bands, very stylish, \$14.

Ladies' Stylish Dress Skirt of Zibeline, in navy, gray and black, beautifully and elaborately trimmed with bands and braid, at \$6.50.

Ladies' Gray Walking Skirt, made in latest style, twenty gores, each gore stitched, \$5.75.

Ladies' Walking Skirts of cloth in blue and black, corded and trimmed with buttons, at \$2.75.

Special Sale Lace Curtains and Portieres.

See These Wonderful Bargains in the New Fall and Winter Dress Goods.

THIS DEPARTMENT IS MEETING WITH TREMENDOUS SUCCESS. WE OFFER THE MOST SENSATIONAL BARGAINS. YOU NEVER BUY SUCH DRESS FABRICS AT SUCH LOW PRICES AGAIN. SPECIAL BARGAINS IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

39c. FOR 75c. WAISTING. 39c. FOR 75c. WAISTING.
Popular Walst Material at less than
the maker's cost prices; narrow and
medium, with self colored cord stripes
in granite weave, in pink, light blue,
navy blue, castor, lavender, black with
white cord stripe, not a piece in the lot
sold less than 60c. a yard, special 80c.

22c. FOR 29c. ALL-WOOL TRICOT. In pink, light blue, lavender, tan, old blue and garnet, selling in other stores for 29c, a yard, special for 22c.

\$1 FOR \$1,25 54-INCH SANGALINE CRASH CLOTH. An entirely new fall Dress Fabric, hand twisted, medlum weight crash, some call it snowflake, special for \$1. 50c. FOR 69c. ALL-WOOL ZIBELINE. Much in demand for Walking Suits and Children's School Dresses, 38 inches wide, long nap, over fifty styles to select from; they are worth 69c, a yard, our price 50c.

39e, for All-Wool Cloth, 38 inches

39e, for All-Weel Cloth, 38 inches wide, in every shade.
Spe, for All-Weel, Cloth, 54 inches wide, in any shade you want.
The yard for Black Cheviot, 44 inches wide, worth \$1 a yard.
69e, for All-Weel Embroidered Dot Albatross, that sold for \$1 a yard, in light blue, navy blue, purple and resida, green; some have white dots, while others with black dot.
\$1.39 yard for \$1.50 Hairline Stripe Zibeline, 54 inches wide, black and all colors.

\$1.25 FOR \$1.50 WOOL ZIBELINE. 56 inches wide, heavy weight twill, with long silk finish nap, the very tlding for tailor-made suits, well worth \$1.50, our price \$1.25.

Blankets, Comfortables and Flannels. In Basement.

DO NOT WAIT ANY LONGER FOR YOUR BLANKET AND COMFORT-ABLE BUYING. IT IS NOT SAFE. THESE PRICES ARE THE RESULT OF SOME VERY LARGE PURCHASES. HAD WE TO BUY THEM AGAIN TO-DAY THEY WOULD NOT BE OFFERED AT ANY SUCH PRICES.

FULL SIZE COTTON BLANKETS. of fine quality cotton, in white and silver gray, with pretty pink and blue borders, finished with crochet edge, usually \$1.25 per pair, special for 98c.

WOOL BLANKETS,

White and gray, made of fine se-tect yarn, with spool cotton warp, large assortment of pretty borders, size 72x82 inches, each pair weighs five pounds, well worth \$5 per pair, special well worth \$5 per pair, special

Pure white, wool flannel, sell 20c. and 21c. yard, special Monday, 14c. Mail-Carrier Gray Flannel, 35c. a FEATHER PILLOWS.

Covered with extra heavy tick-59c, for size 18x26, 75c, for size 20x28, \$1,25 for size 22x28.

COMFORTABLES.

Covered in silkoline, beautiful floral design on one side, plain on reverse, pure white cotton filling, without zephyr, \$2 value, for \$1.69.

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Extra Size Home-Made Comforts, covered with English Alberta silk, some with heavy twill fiannelette, the same thing on both sides; they are neavy and warm, filled with pure white corded cotton, well worth \$5, special for to-morrow \$3.25.

Special sale Canton Flannel at 8c, and 10c, a yard; a bargain.

5,000 YARDS FLANNELETTE.

In neat figure and stripes, all dark patterns for wrappers and waist, this season's style, well worth 10c. a yard.

ART DENIM,

For Cushion and Furniture Covering in remnants, sell 25c. a yard by the piece remnant will be 15c.

Sheets and Pillow Cases and Muslin.

IT WOULD PAY YOU TO BUY FOR YOUR FUTURE NEEDS. READY-MADE SHEETS,

Made of standard muslin, absolutely free from dressing, noted for durability, size 25,225, yards, well worth 89c, special at 63c.

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50c. Bleached Sheets, size 5ixi0, special, 30c.
Yard Wide Bleached Cotton, 5.3-4,
the regular 7c. grade, limited quantity
of ten yards to customer.

Ultra Hemstitched Sheets, 2½x2½ yards, the same sheet you always paid \$1 for, special to-morrow for 89c. Extra heavy deep hemstitched Pillow Case that always sell for 25c., spe-cial at 19c.

Feather-Proof Ticking, 31-inches wide medium white and blue stripe, 19c. grade, for 14c. yard. 10-4 Unbleached Sheeting 18c, a yard.

Big Bargains in Wool and Cotton Underwear.

FOR LADIES, MEN, BOYS AND GIRLS. EARLY BUYING WILL SAVE YOU MONEY.

At 10e.—Infants' Heavy Fleece
Wrappers, usually sell for 12½c., Monday 10e.

25e.—Infants' Half Wool Fleece

Boys' Heavy Gray Cotton Shirts,
Pants to match, special 25c, piece.

Boys' and Girls' Heavy White Cotton Shirts, 12½c, to 42c.; Pants to 25e,-Infants' Half Wool Fleece

Ruben's Infants' Ribbed Shirts, 25c, to 50c.

Infants' Part Wool Bands, 25e Infants' Wool Bands, 39c.
Boys' Heavy Fleece Shirts and Pants,
regular 50c. value, 25c.

LADIES' RIBBED CORSET COVERS, Woven neck, tight-fitting, the very thing for wearing white shirt-waists, special bargain, 25c.

LADIES' AND MISSES' MEDIUM-WEIGHT FLEECE-RIBBED SHIRTS,

Silk tape neck, special values for

50e.
Ladies' White Merino Drawers, special 30e., sold for 10c.
Men's Underwear, gray wool mixed, 50c.; gray wool from \$1 to \$1.025c.; white from \$1 to \$1.75; Wright's Wool Fleece, \$1.

WRAPPERS.

Ladies' Heavy Fleece Flannel Wrap-per, made in a west style, with flounce ruffle over shoulder, trimmed in braid, special value for \$1.

match.

Boys' and Girls Heavy White AllWool Merino Shirts, 15c. to 75c.;
Pants to match.

Ladies' and Misses' Heavy White
Ribbed Cotton Fleece Shirts, woven
edge, tape neck, extra long, great
value for 25c. MISSES' AND LADIES' UNION

Heavy fleece ribbed, 50c, value, 25c, Infants' Union Suits, 25c, value, special 10c, Ladles' White and Gray Wool Merino Shirts, pants to match, \$1. Ladles' Medicated Red Shirts, all wool, special value for \$1,25.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR,

Light-weight gray, 50e, and \$1, Heavy Fleece Lined, 50e, Fine Wool Suits, pink and blue, \$2, suit. canton Drawers, 25c. Full line of all winter Underwear,

BREAKFAST SHAWLS. Special sale of Bedford Shawls, gray and black, white, mixture, also brown,

Smoker at Pythian Hall to viriting Py

8 P. M.—Cone Athletic Park. Fireworks. 9:30 P. M.—Smith Memorial Building.

Engagement Denied. The family of Miss Mary W. Mercer, of Williamsburg, pronounce erroneous the report of her engagement to Mr. Herbert C. Lightfoot, printed in yesterday's Times-Dispatch. The item in question was copied from the columns of a Newport News exchange.

THE TRIAL NEAR CLOSE

Half of the Argument Heard in Haywood Case.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 10.—Four speeches were made to-day in the trial of Ernest Haywood and six attorneys are yet to speak. The argument has been in progress two days, and is now half completed. It is likely to extend late into Tuesday, perhaps, taking the whole day. Colonel J. C. L. Harris concluded the argument he began Friday, and was followed by W. N. Jones, for the defense and R. C. Strong for the prosecution, and J. N. Holding for defenuant.

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When court mests at 3 o'clock Monday, Senator H. E. Norris will speak for the State, then S. G. Kyan, for the defense. Their speeches will probably occupy the morning, and in the afternoon Senator Donnell Gilliam for the State, and Captain W. H. Day for the defense, will be heard. Tuesday the concluding speeches will be made by Solicitor W. E. Daniel and Colonel Thomas M. Argo. Judge Peebles will then charge the jury. Colonel J. C. L. Harris took just forty-five minutes to-day in concluding his speech begun on the previous day.

W. N. Jones consumed an hour and thirty-two minutes in his speech. He was the only attorney thus far who called any of the jurors by name in addressing them or referred to the honored family name of the defense. Robert C. Strong, for the State spoke an hour and fivo minutes, while J. N. Holding, for the defense, spoke for three hours, and deveted the major part of his argu-

for the defense, spoke for three hours, and devoted the major part of his argu-ment t oreview of the State's evidence. The judge holds counsel close to the

case as outlined by evidence. He allows no personal reference to defendant or deceased or any members of their fami-lies. No sentimental appeals are allow-ed.

CHARTERS GRANTED IN NORTH CAROLINA

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RALEIGH N. C., October 10.—The
Secretary of State issued a charter
to the Holt Cotton Company of Smithfield. The capital authorized is \$100,000,
with \$15,000 paid in by Stephen Holt,
Willis H. Austin and Allen K. Smith.
The company proposes to operate a cotton mill and buy and sell cotton generally.

erally.

Another important concern chartered was the Farmers' Consolidated Tobacco Company, of Greenville. This concern was authorized to deal in leaf tobacco and manufacture the weed. Among the incorporators are J. J. Laughinghouse, C. D. Smith, E. E. Dare, Jr., S. V. Joyner, A. A. Forbes, O. L. Joyner, W. H. Dale, W. M. Smith and others The capital stock is \$100,000 authorized and \$1,100 subscribed.

scribed.
The Greenville Lumber and Veneering Company was also chartered yesterday, with a capital of \$25,000 authorized and subscribed by A. B. Minor, of Suffolk; H. McClellan, F. G. Whaley and O. G. Calhoon.

VIRGINIA BREVITIES.

FREDERICKSBURG. VA.—Mts. Julia Fones, widow of the late Amos Fones, awell known lady of Westmoreland county, was paralyzed this week, and is now in a critical condition. FREDERICKSBURG, VA.—The Sunday-school Convention of the Hermon Baptist Association will meet with Beulah Baptist Church in Caroline county on October 27th for a sesson of two days.

days, YA.—The Second United YORKTOWN, VA.—The Second United States Torpedo boat Squadron, consisting of the Truxtun, Whipple and Stuart, left here at noon yesterday for Norfolk to take on fresh provisions and return to take on fresh provisions and return Monday.

ROANOKE, VA.—Rev. Ellis Hay, paster of the Reformed Church, one of the ablest Roanoke ministers, has been called to the pastorate of the Shippen burg, Pa., Church, and will probably accept.

ROANOKE, VA.—J. B. Fishburn, eashier of the National Exchange Bank, and Edward Stone, president of the Stone Printing and Manufacturing Company, left to-night for a trip around the world for the benefit of their health. They will be gone six months.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILLIAMSBURG, VA., Oct. 10.—The
Democrate of James City county met at
Toano to-day for the purpose of reorganizing. Owing to the bad weather
there was a very small attendance.
Dr. H. U. Stephenson was elected
chairman and E. S. Meanley secretary.
All of the old committee were re-elected.

Crawford in Louisa. all indications point to a signal victory for Robert A. Crawford, over his oppo-nets, Captain Overton and W. I. Irby. Mr. Crawford got the entire vote Mr. Crawford got the entire vote polled at this place.

Alarm in Wanch ster

At our minutes before midnight the fire department was called out on account of the burning of an old cable box on hull between Eleventh and Thirteenth Streets. The box had been ignited by the crossing of two wires, one of which was charged. The blaze was extinguished with little difficulty and practically no damage.

Mr. Harwood Bettar,

John S. Harwood, Jr., son of Colonel John S. harwood, who as quite haddle but several days ago while practicing with the Richmond College foot-ball team, is improving, and is now considered out

Fra ernal Lodge A. F. & A. M. Fraternal Lodge, No. 53, A. F. and A. M., will have a stated communication at the Masonic Temple to-morrow evening at 739 o'clock. A large attendance of members is carnestly requested.

Church Hill W. C. T. U. The Church Hill branch of the Woman's Christian Association will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o clock at the association building, No. 296 East Frakin Street. The members are urged to attend, as the meeting is oe of importance to the institution.

SICKNESS IN THE TRANSVAAL.

Government Offers Prize of £25,000 for Cure.

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Five-sixths of South Africa is uninhabitable for horses, owing to a horse sickness which carries off, at least 250,000 horses every year. The Transvaal government will pay 225,000 for a cure for the disease. If any government had offered a like sum for a remedy that would cure Rheumatism, Catarrih, Constipation, Stomach Trouble or any Blood Disease that affilots the human family, Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound would have won the prize. List year \$,756,000 cases were treated with this great remedy, and 50 per cent, were restored to health. A thirty-days' treatment costs only twonty-five cents at drug stores.

QUARLES' Bargain Sale

105 East Broad.

On account of the inclement weather during the past week, we will continue our reduction sale a few days longer, as many of our friends were unable to reach the store to take advantage of our great reduction in the price of Toys. Everything in the store has been reduced in price-new goods and old, nothing reserved. Below we give you a few samples of what can be had for a little money, all goods sold for cash only.

TEACH YOUR CHILD TO SAVE-ONE OF OUR BEAUTIFUL LITTLE WOODEN BANKS, ONLY8e

GET THE LITTLE GIRL ONE OF THESE TELESCOPES FOR OR A BOX OF CROWN DOMINOES 180 OR A DOLL FROM A LARGE ASSORT-A TRICYCLE FOR\$2.20 CHAIR......75e TO \$4,50 CHAIR OR ROCKER 400 AND 750

FOOT-BALL STUFF. SHIN GUARDS480 BLUBBER BLADDERS 400

BICYCLE NECESSITIES. ALL COLORS OF ENAMEL100 GOOD PEDALS LACING CORDS, BELLS, MENDING OUT-FITS, SADDLES, HANDLE BARS, LAMPS

A FINE LINE OF INDESTRUCTIBLE IRON TOYS, THE BEST THING IN THE WORLD FOR CHILDREN.

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BEAUT	FUL ENA	MEL BA	TH SETS	230
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GET FOR THE BOY: MAGIC LANTERNS25e UP NICKLE-PLATED BULL DOG PISTOL ... Se BOW AND ARROW80 BOXING GLOVES486 VELOCIPEDES \$1,75

SPORTING GOODS.
INCLUDING A FULL LINE OF SPAULDING GOODS.
A GOOD HUNTING COAT
A GOOD HUNTING VEST
A GOOD HUNTING LEGGINGS44c
WINCHESTER PUMP GUNS
REMINGTON HAMMERLESS
L. C. SMITH824.50
IMPORTED BREECH-LOADER
SINGLE-BARREL BOYS' GUN \$4,25

MARCONI WIRELESS TELEGRAPH CO VIPANY.

COVPANY.

Stock of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America is now placed on sale. A limited number of shares will be sold at \$5 a share and the prediction is made by F. P. Ward & Co. that in a few years this stock will be worth possibly more than \$1,000 a share. This sounds incredible, but Bell Telephone stock once sold for \$1 a share, and became worth some years afterwards \$1,000 a share. The Marconi Company has a strong board of directors and they are certain to do everything possible to make the Marconi sysetm of wireless telegraphy more fruitful of dividends than any other. It is beyond question that in a few years the stock of this companymust increase many fold. Applications for description of stock should be made to F. P. Ward & Co., Farmers Bank Building, Pittsburg, Pa.

BOSTON NOW LEADS IN GREAT CONTEST

Philippi Given Great Ovation But He Was Unable to Hold Hitters Down.

By Associated Press.) PITTSBURG, PA., October 10.-The second largest crowd that ever attended a ball game at Exposition Park greeted the American and National League champions when they appeared on the field to play the fourth and last home game of the series. Boston won easily, 7 to 3, making three straight victories for the visitors.

The magnificent record made by Phil-The magnificent record made by Philippi in winning the three games pitched against the Boston pennant winners led the crowd to think he could do so again, but in this they were disappointed. As he walked to the center of the diamond to begin the game he was given the greatest reception ever tendered a player on the local grounds and presented with a diamond pin. He pitched a good, steady local grounds and presented with a dia-mond pin. He pitched a good, steady game, but Boston's hits came when most needed, while Pittsburg could not bunch theirs. Young pitched a fine game for Boston, and was very steady with men on

Score: R. H. E. Pittsburg 00010101301-310 E. Boston 200202010-711 A. Batteries: Philippi and Phelps: Young and Criger. Time, 145. Umpires, Connelly and O'Day. Attendance, 17,078.

Rev. W. L. Taylor Denles.

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Editor of The Times-Dispatch:
Sir, There appeared in the News Leader of October 8th, under the caption of "Serios Charges Against Roanoke Colored Pastor," the following:
"Negroes of Roanoke and leading ministers have passed ringing resolutions of condemnation of the Rev. W. L. Taylor for dismissing J. E. Brown, local chief of the True Reformers, for refusing, as allessed, to collect rent and act as Taylor's agent for a large house which was rented for immoral purposes."

In regard to the above I beg to state through the columns of your paper:
I. J. E. Brown has never been dismissed from the employment of the Grand Fountain, but in a regular meeting held with the deputy generals, whose duty and privilege it is to make recommendation in changes in their field, Mr. Brown, as well as others, was assigned to a new field and another assigned to fill his place at Roanoke. This he declined to accept, and sent in his resignation.

II. Mr. Brown has never collected, nor has he been requested to collect a cent of rent from any house belonging to me. Hill The house in question is a tenement building, and was placed in the

BIJOU THEATRE WEEK OF OCTOBER 12.

A BEAUTIFUL LOVE STORY OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY. Replete with Comedy, Sen-A Play with a Tone That

timent, Surprises and Tears is Pure and Sweet. FIRST TIME HERE. Production Carried Complete.

SEE THE GREAT COAL MINE SCENE SEE Matinees Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Popular Prices.

MEETINGS.

Annual Meeting
Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company,
Office of Secretary.
Richmond, Va., Aug. 18, 1903.
NOTICE IS HEIGHBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual meeting of the stockholders of THE
CHERAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY for the election of the Directors and
the transaction of such other business as may
lawfully come before the meeting, including
the union by purchase, inerger or consolidation
of for with carting the consolidation the transaction of such others, including the union by purchase, inerger or consolidation of or with certain subsidiary composition of or with certain subsidiary companies, and including the sale and purchase of the franchise, rights, privileges and upoperty of The Chesapeake and Ohio and the comporation organized and taking under the laws of the State of West Virginia to and The Chesapeake and Ohio Raliway Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of West Virginia to and the Laws of the State of West Virginia to and the Directors for the last decal year, and for the purpose of approximated and existing under the purpose of approximated and existing under the interest of the Company, will be held at the office of the Company in the city of Richmond, Vanon TUESDAY, the 20th day of Cotober, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon. The stock transfer books will be closed at the office of Meesra, P. P. Morgan and Co., No. 23 Wall Brots, New York, on TUESDAY, September 22, 1908, at 3 o'clock P. M., and will be respendent on Wednesday, October 21, 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M. Secretary,

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-holders of THE DAVIS HOOT AND SHOE COMFANY will be held at the office of the company, in Richmond, Va., on MONDAY, October 19, 1903, at 12 M. L. B. THACHER, President; T. W. THACHER, Sceretary.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY AND QUARTERly meeting of the Baptist Sunday School Association of Richmond and Mauchester will be held
next SUNDAY AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock at the
Fulton Baptist Church. Rev. WESTON BRUNER, of Calvary Baptist Church, will deliver
an address. Members of the schools in the association and the public cordially lavited.
W. D. DUKE, President,

MASONIC NOTICE.—MEMBERS FRATEINAL LODGE, NO. 53, A. F. and
A. M. Please attend a stated communication of your lodge MONDAY EVENING,
October 12th, at 7:30 o'clock. Members of sister lodges and transient fraternally invited.
By order of the W. M.
E. BOTTIGHEIMER, Secretary.

hands of an agent before its completion and leased for one year by the agent as a boarding house, as may be seen from the least the lease. (Signed) W. L. TAYLOR.

Protracted Services.

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The protracted services at LaurelStreet Methodist Church, which have been
in progress this week, continues with
unabated interest. Large c owds have
been in attendance during the week.
Rev. George W. Jones, of Norfolk, who
has been assisting Dr. Johnson, will remain for another week and preded. Mr.
J. L. Mitchell will also continue in leading the singing, which has proven a reature of the services.

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